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Welcome to the planet Mobius - - a world beyond what you know from the SEGA games! Where the newly formed Secret Freedom Fighters have banded together to put an end to King Ixis Naugus's reign of terror!

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The city of New Mobotropolis is under SIEGE!
Sonic the Hedgehog's home city continues to reel
following the devastating attacks of Dr. Eggman. These

attacks have lead to the destruction of the city's heroes,

the Freedom Fighters.

To make matters worse, the city has also been attacked from within! The evil Wizard Ixis Naugus and his apprentice Geoffrey St. John have usurped the crown of Acorn, and used their dark magic to turn public opinion in their favor. But such an unstable and evil ruler has put the entire kingdom in jeopardy, and in the shadows, a new team

to attack!

of Secret Freedom Fighters have formed to do the work that the public heroes can't do – put an end to Naugus's rule!

While Silver's squad took on Geoffrey far from home, Elias's squad set out to investigate Naugus's mysterious underground lair deep below the city. Once inside this ancient lxis chamber, our heroes discovered that the evil wizard had undergone a bizarre mutation into a horrific monster – who quickly turned

Gigantic flame-monster? No thank you!
Elias and his team smartly took off for the exit, but Naugus's new form proved too much for the inexperienced team and our heroes were last seen plunging to their doom...





SILVER
THE HEDGEHOG

TIME TRAVELER
--CALL SIGN "ACE"



ELIAS ACORN DEPOSED KING --CALL SIGN "KING"



KING NAUGUS

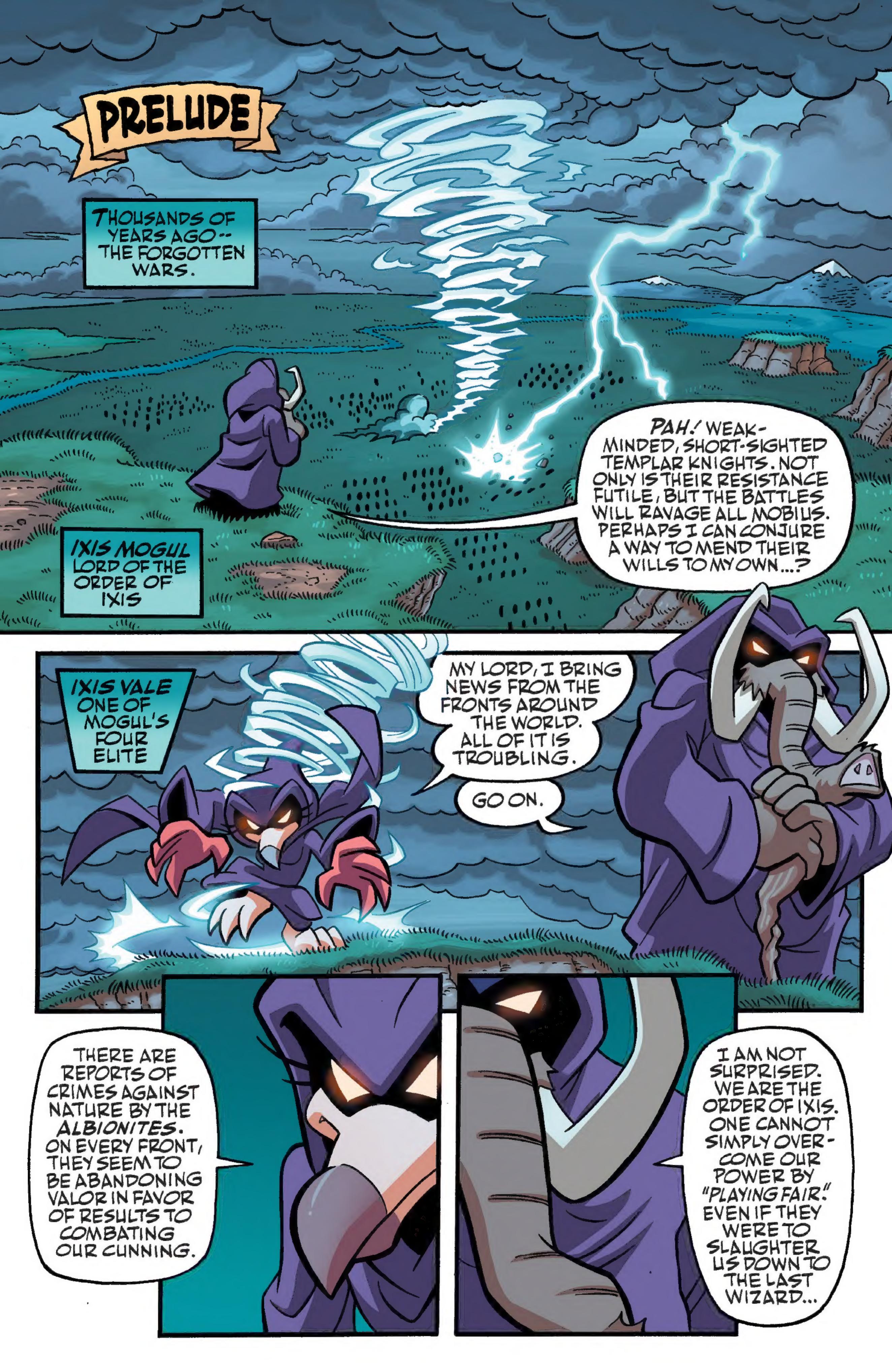
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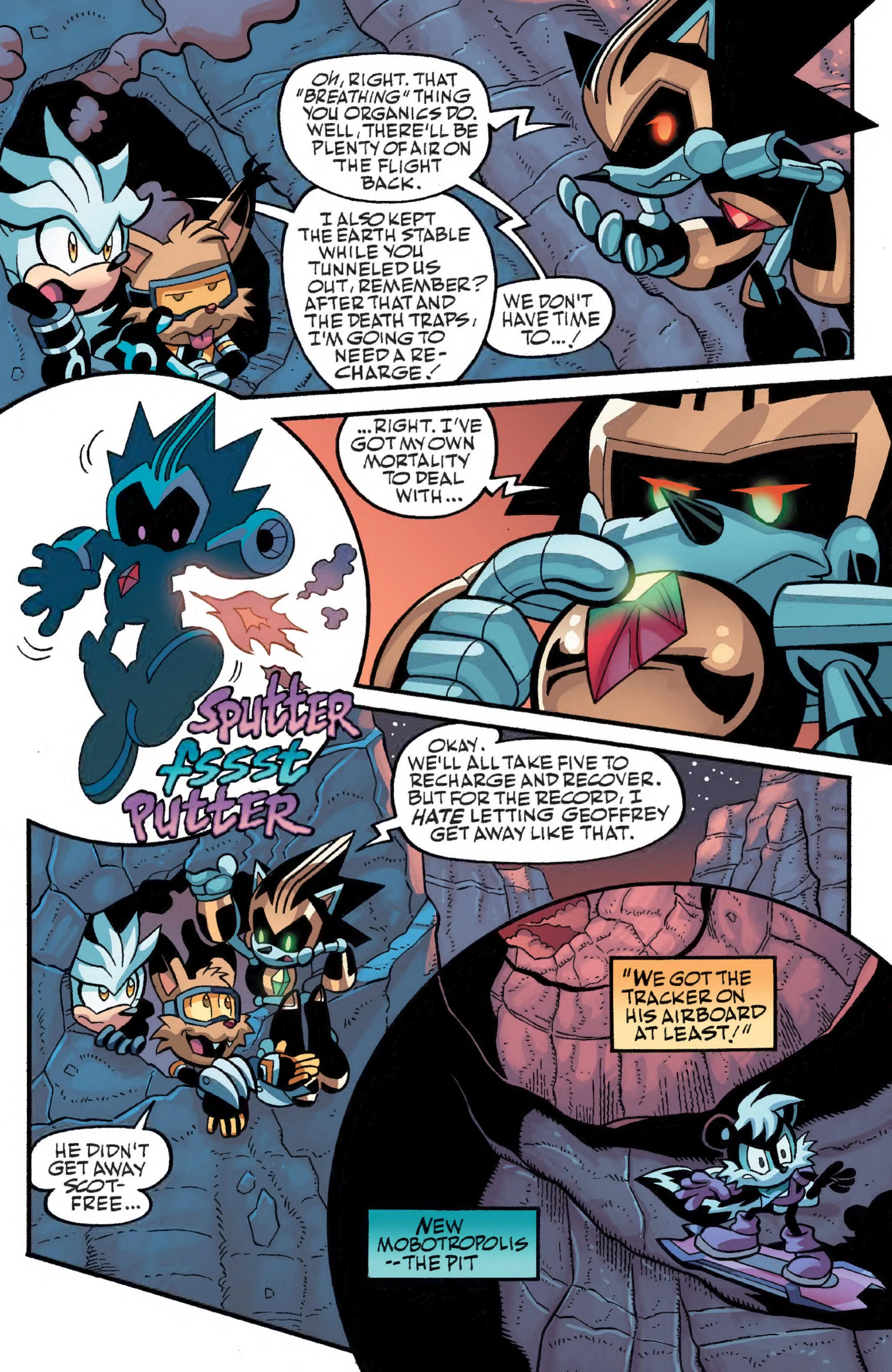


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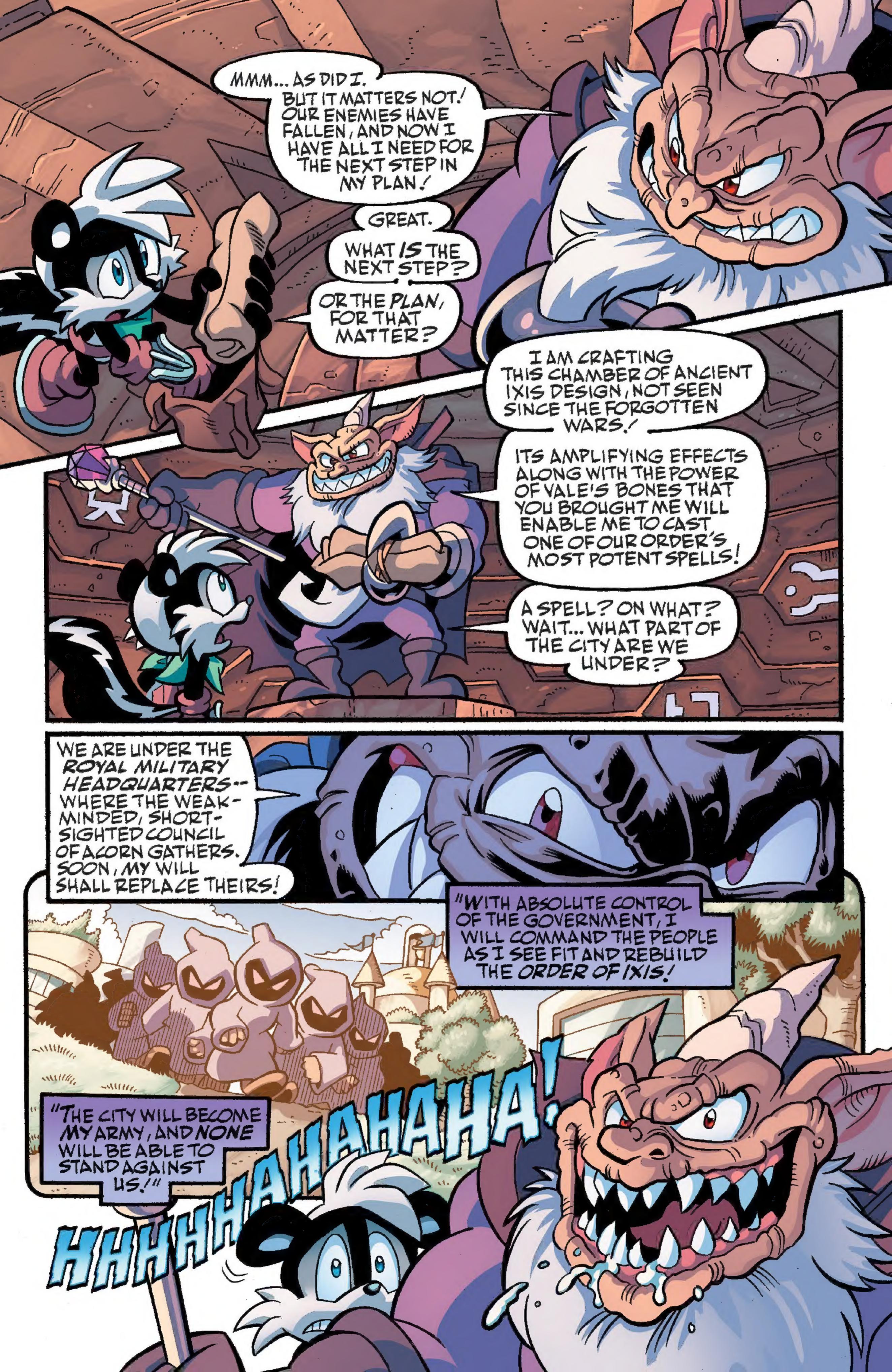
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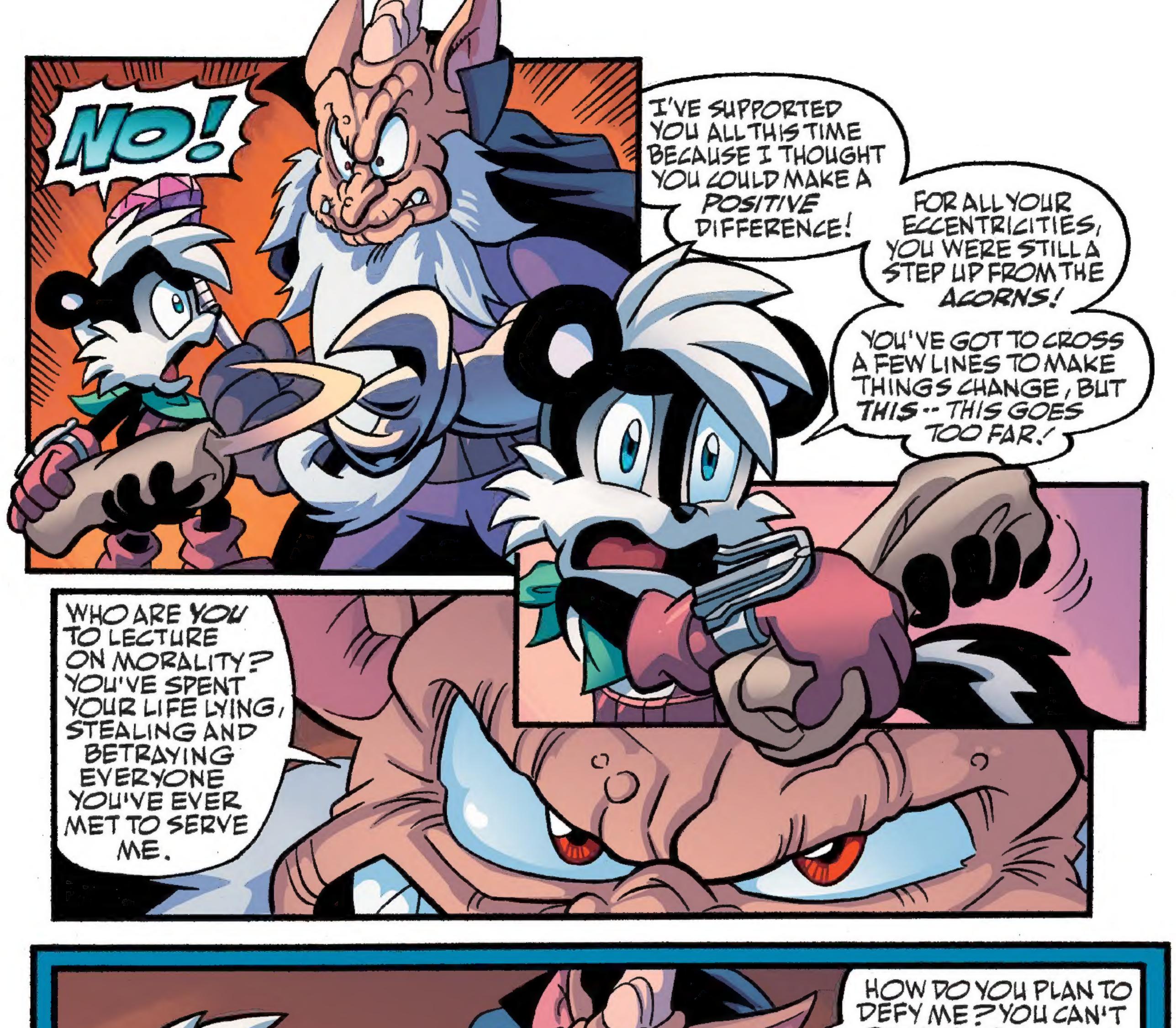


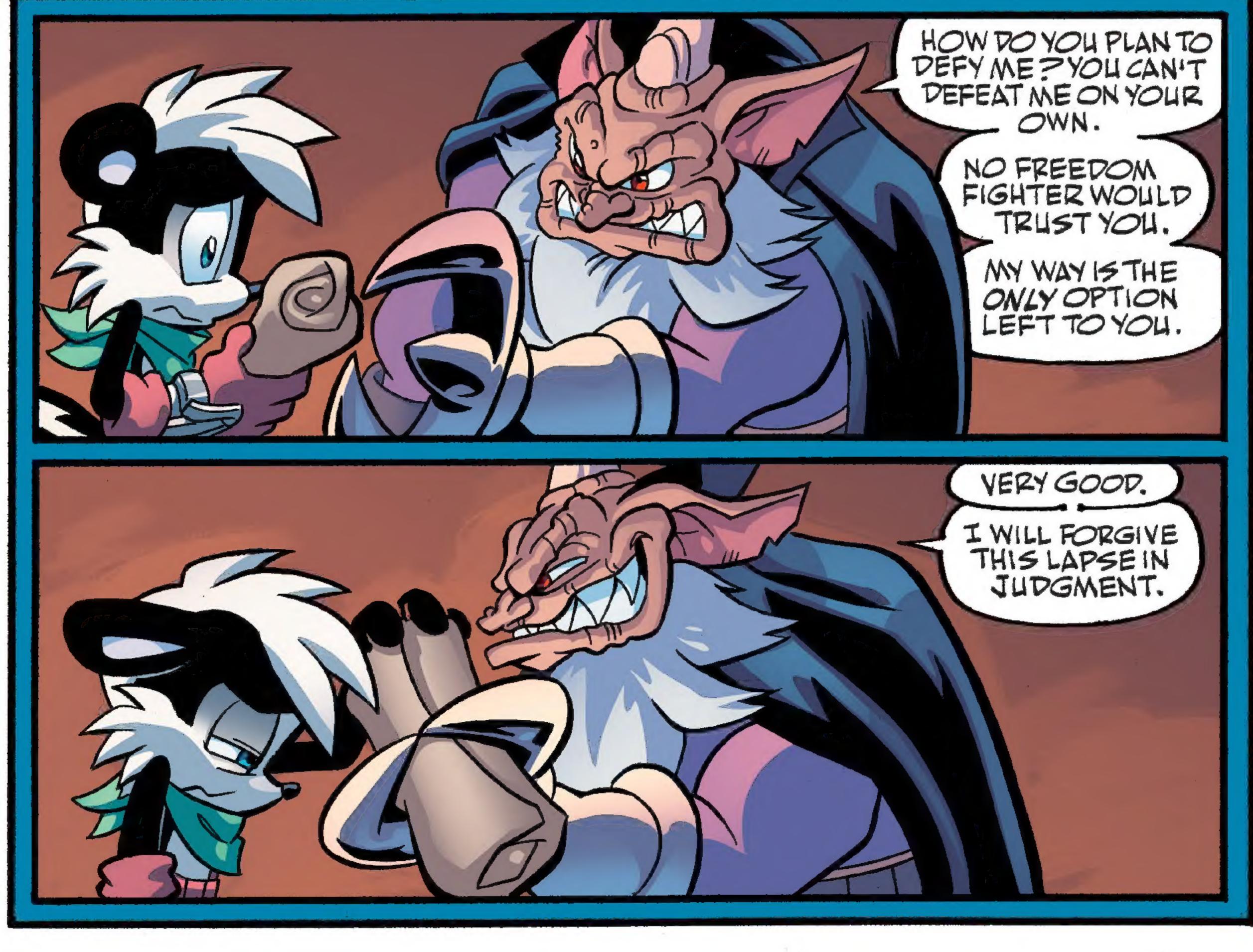


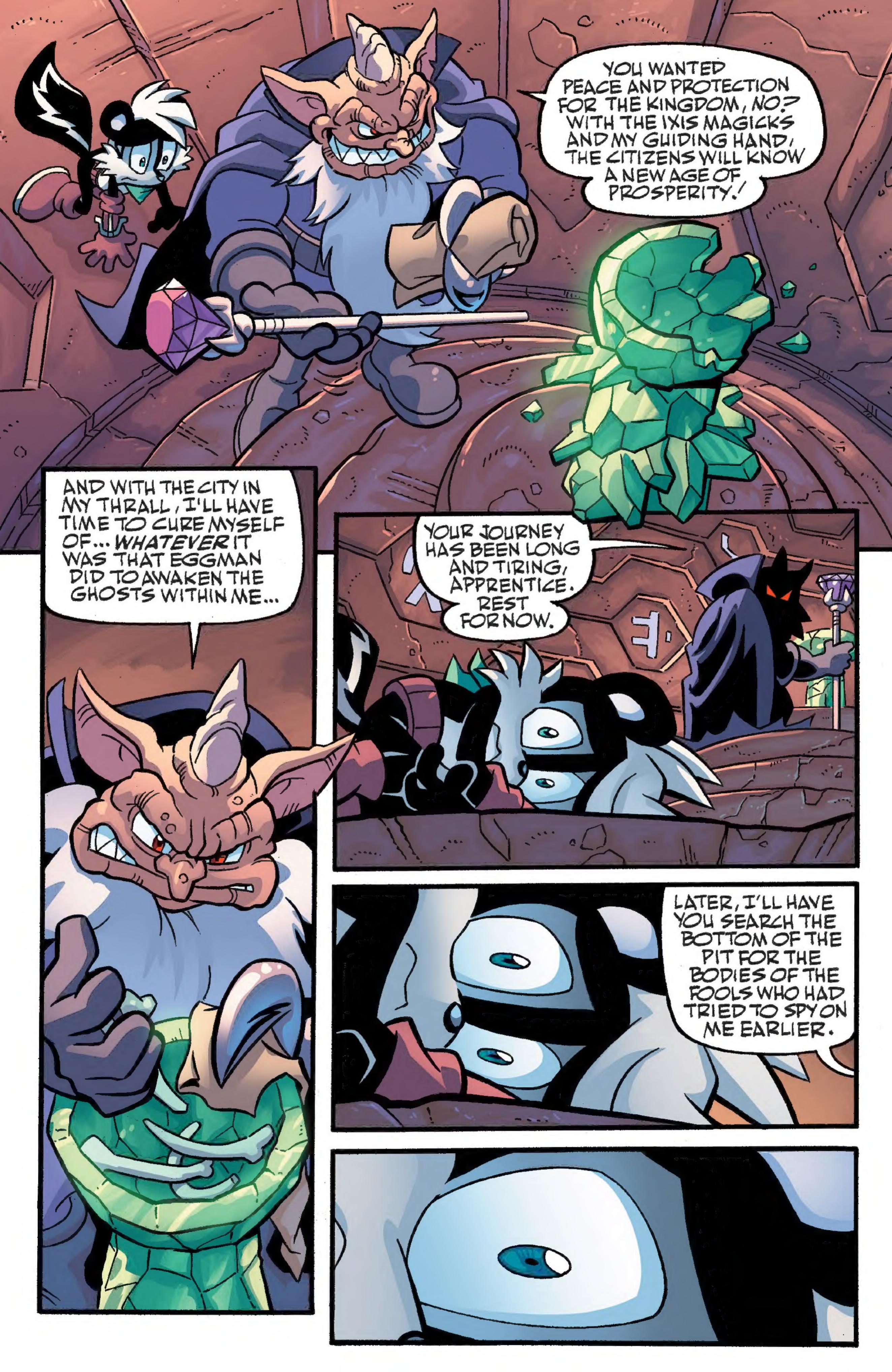




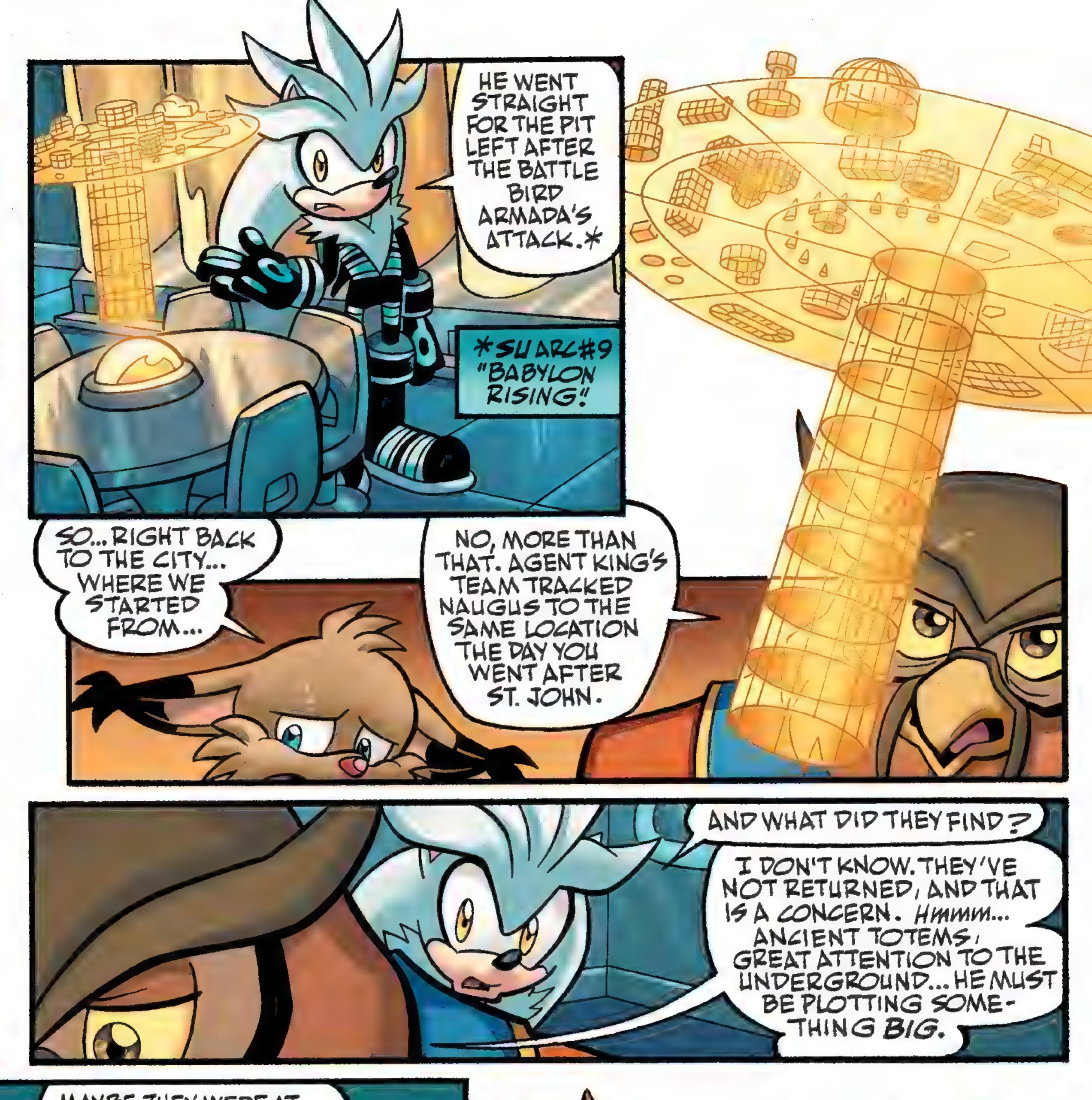


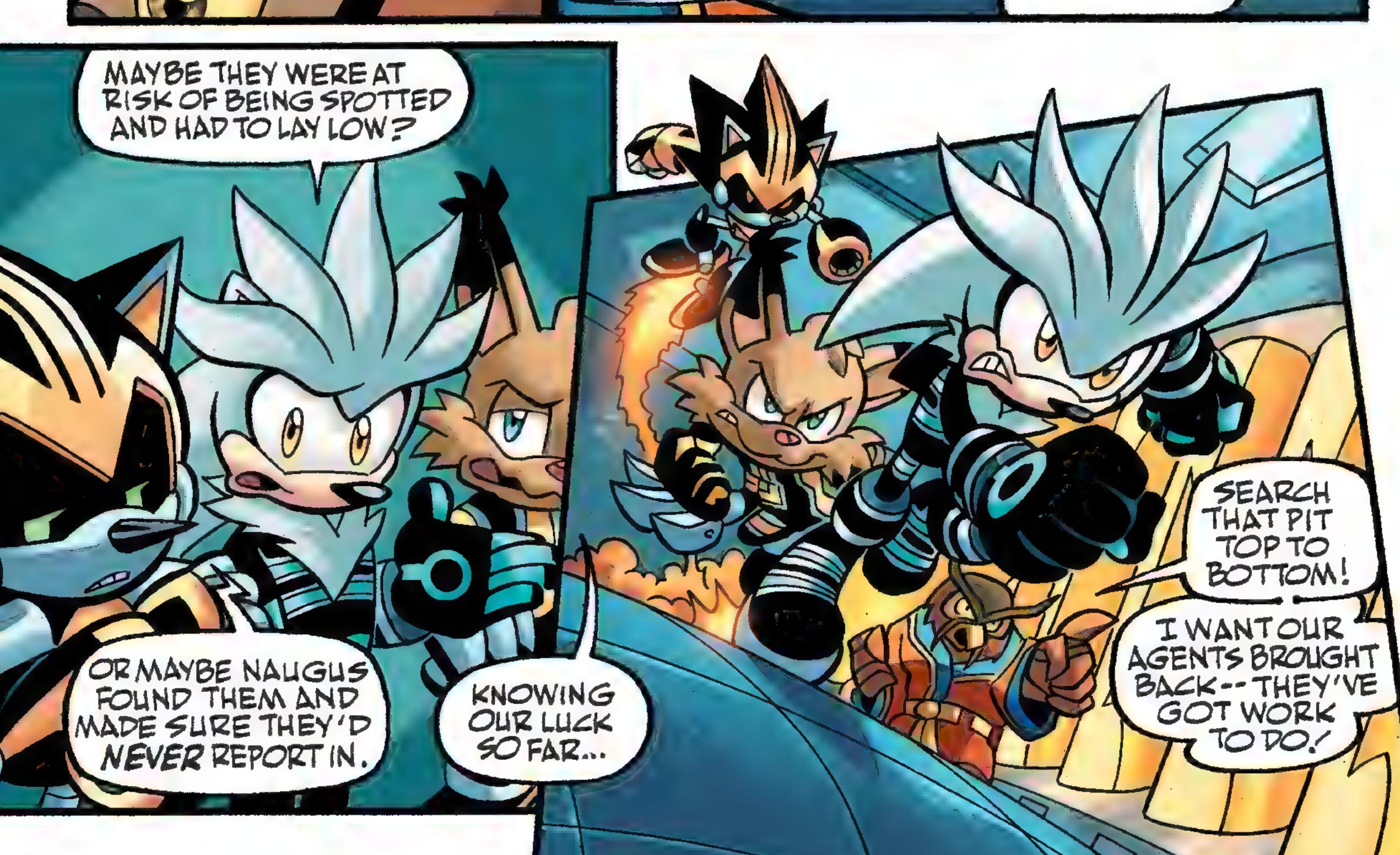


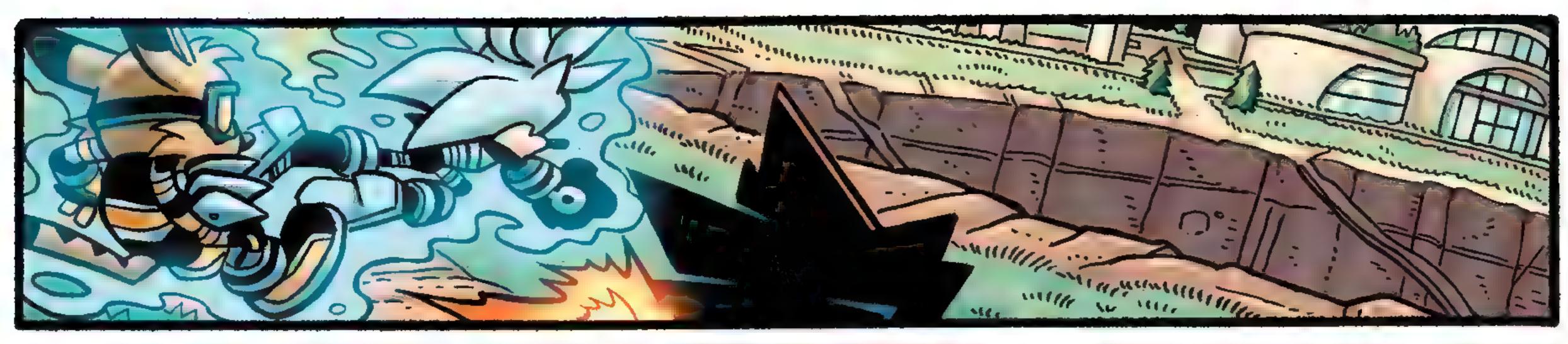










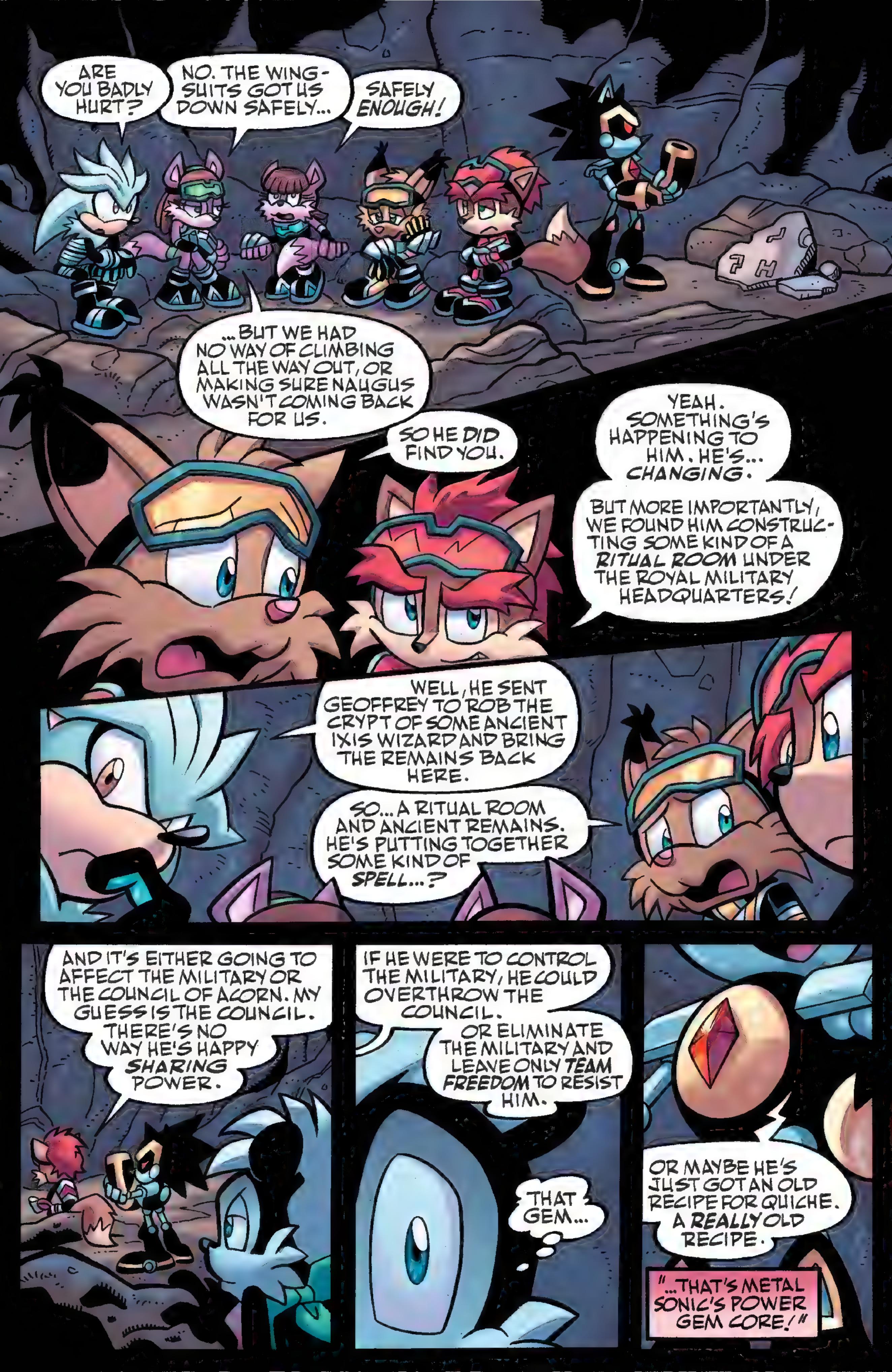


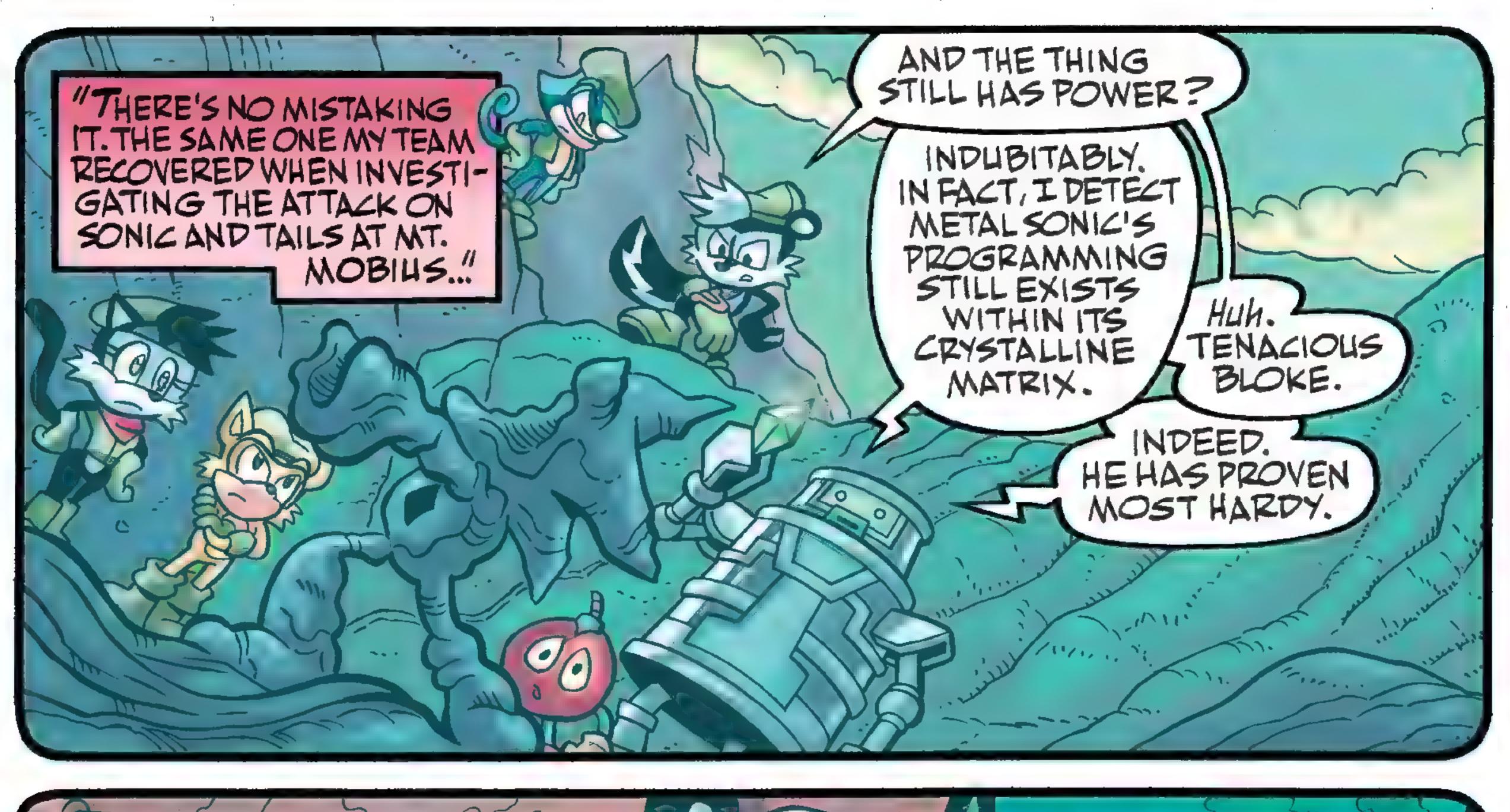




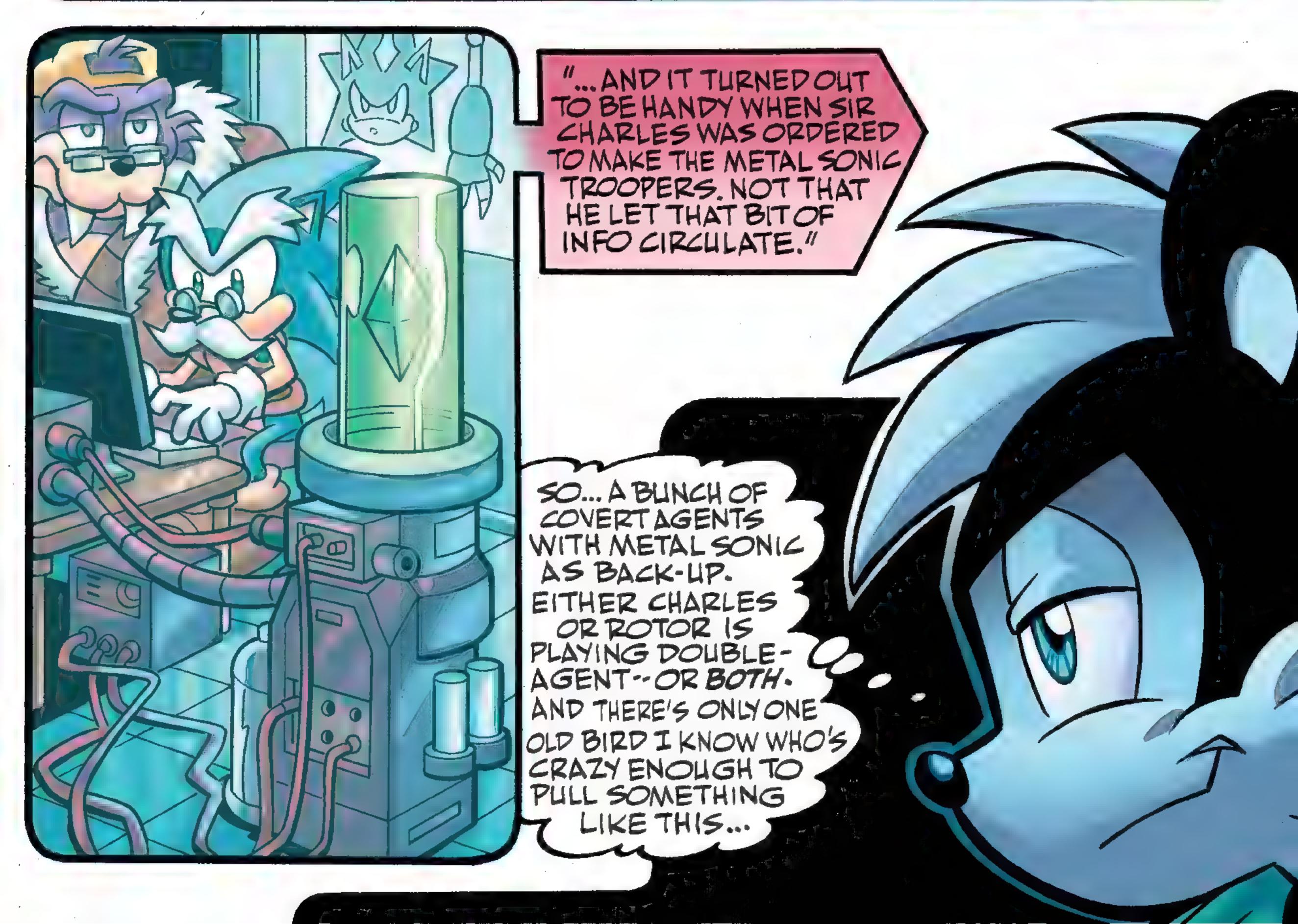


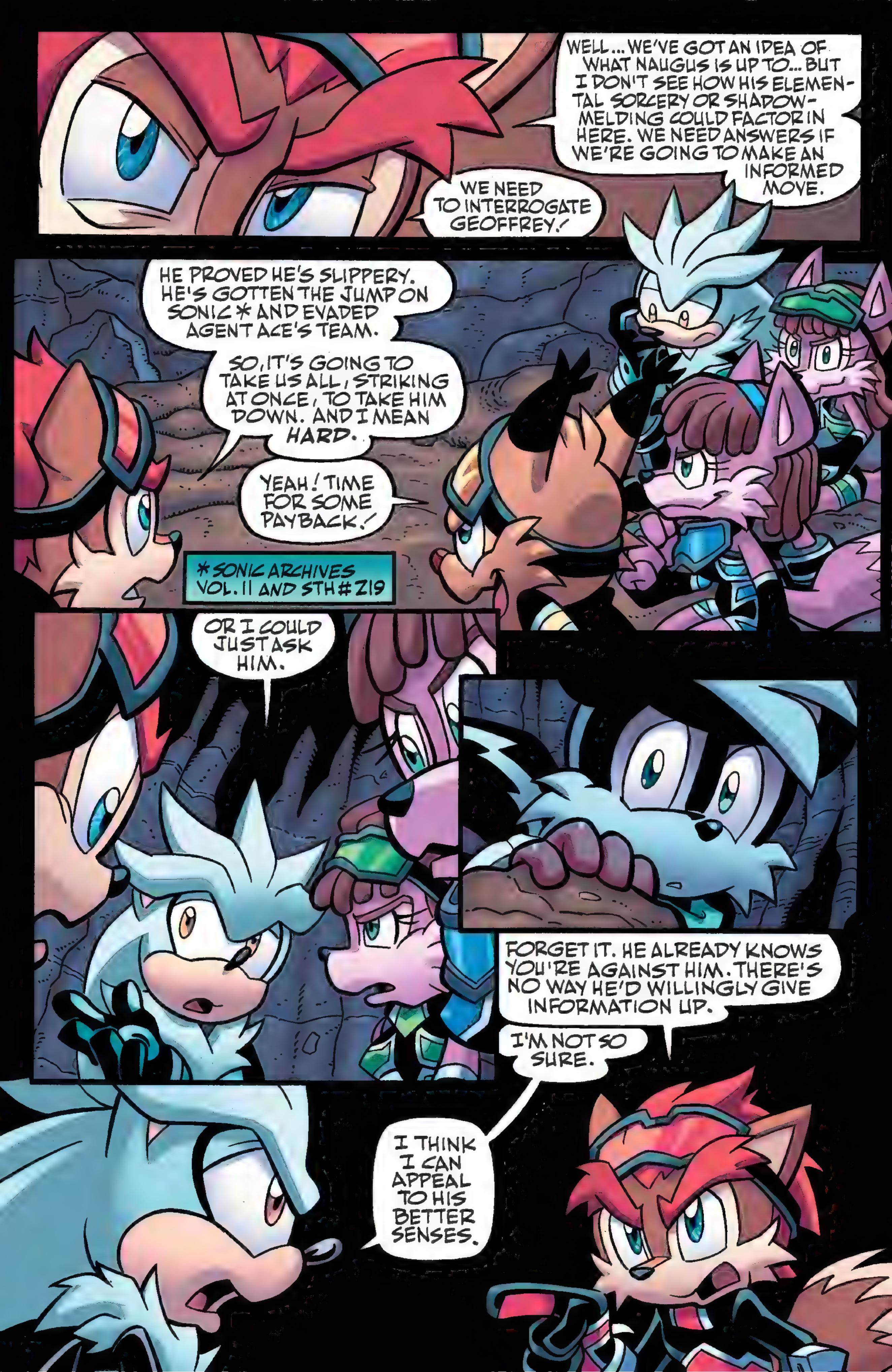




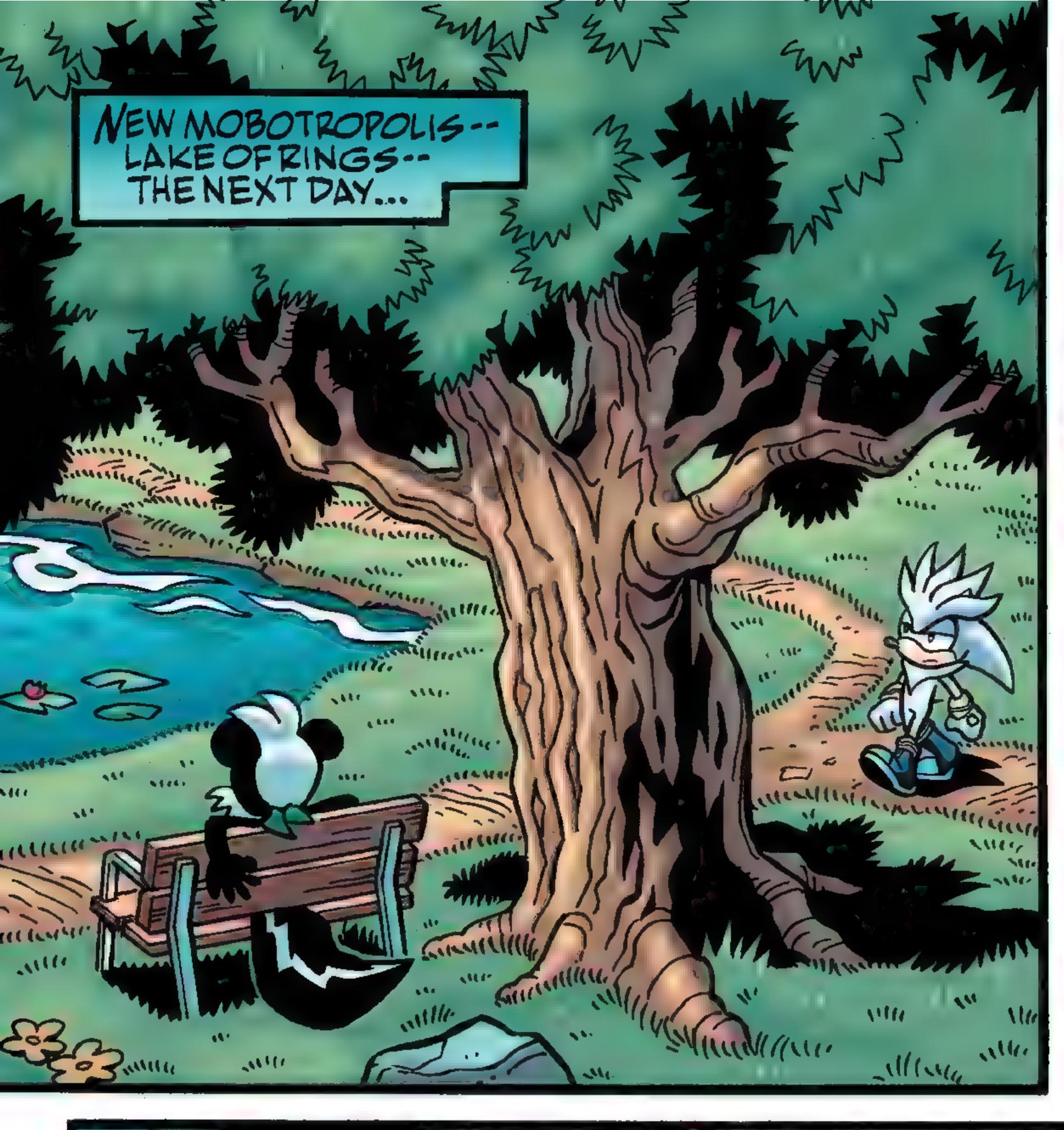




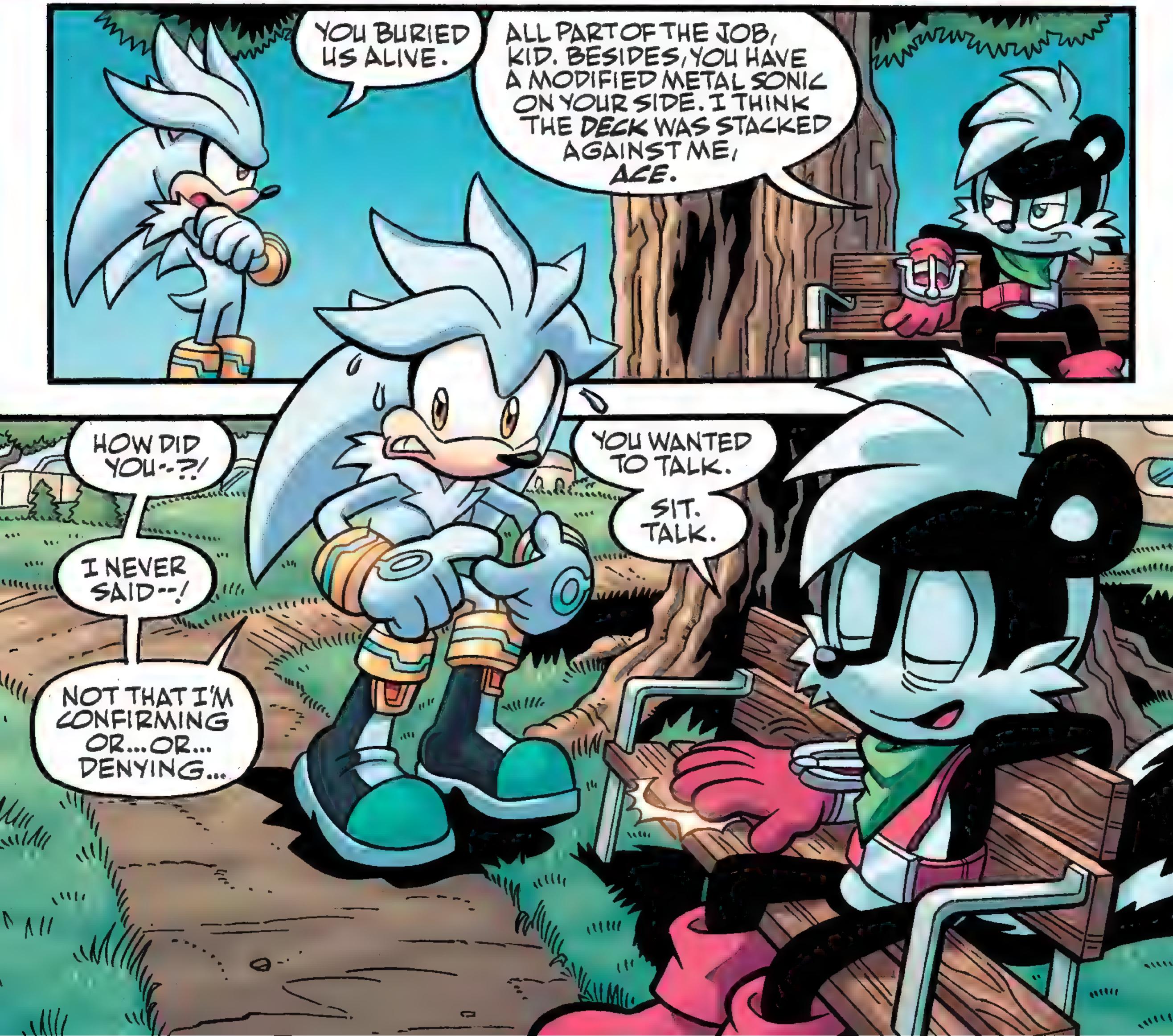




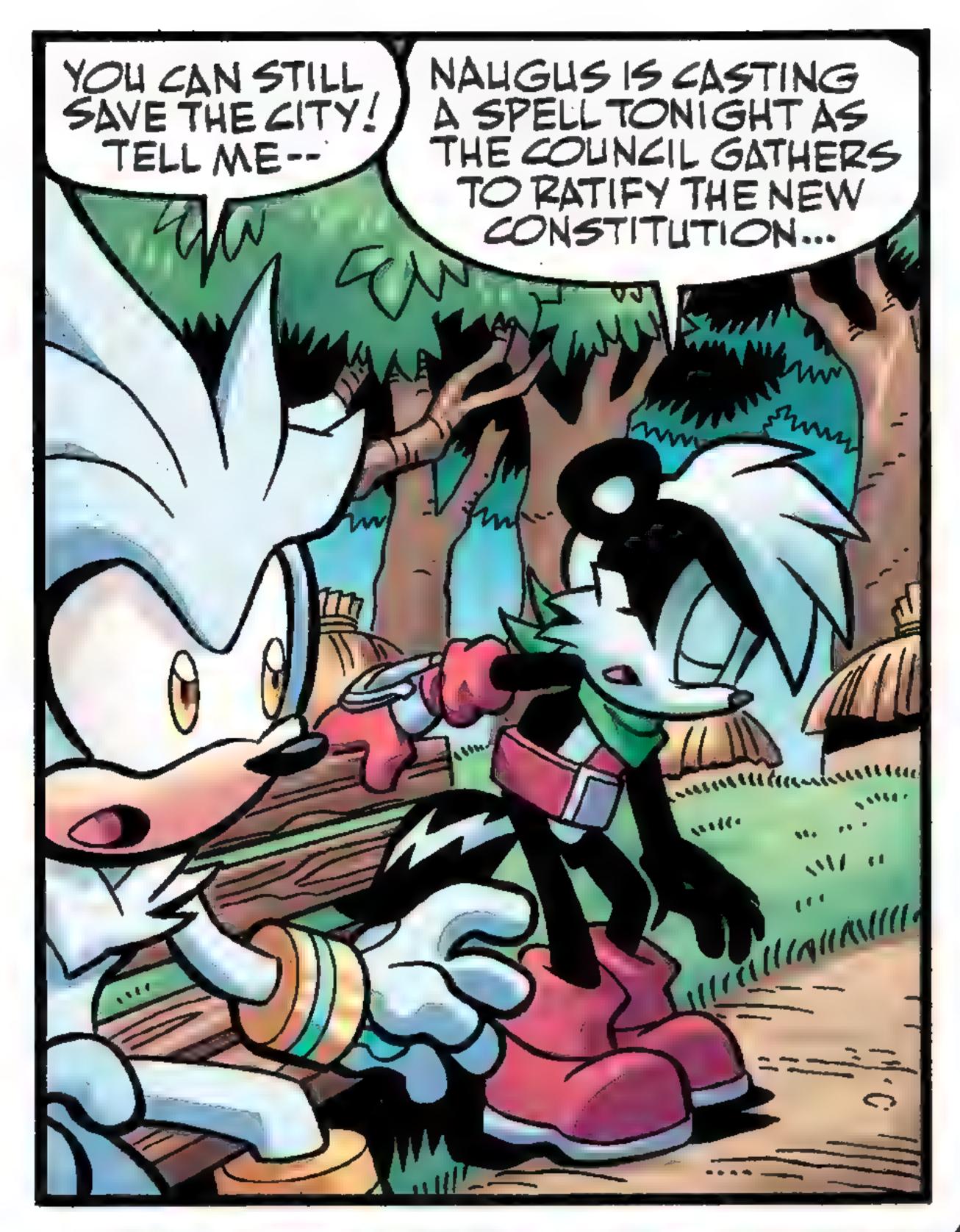






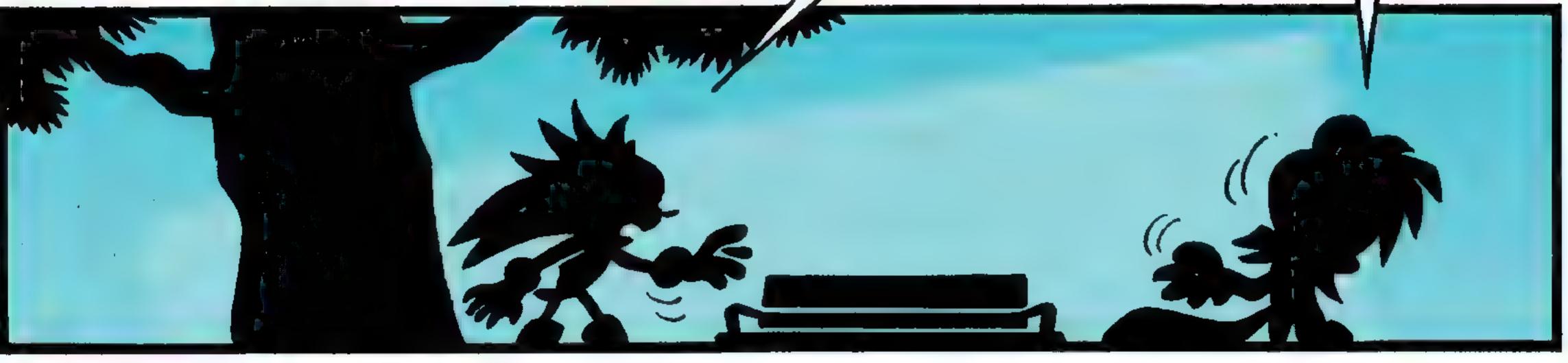


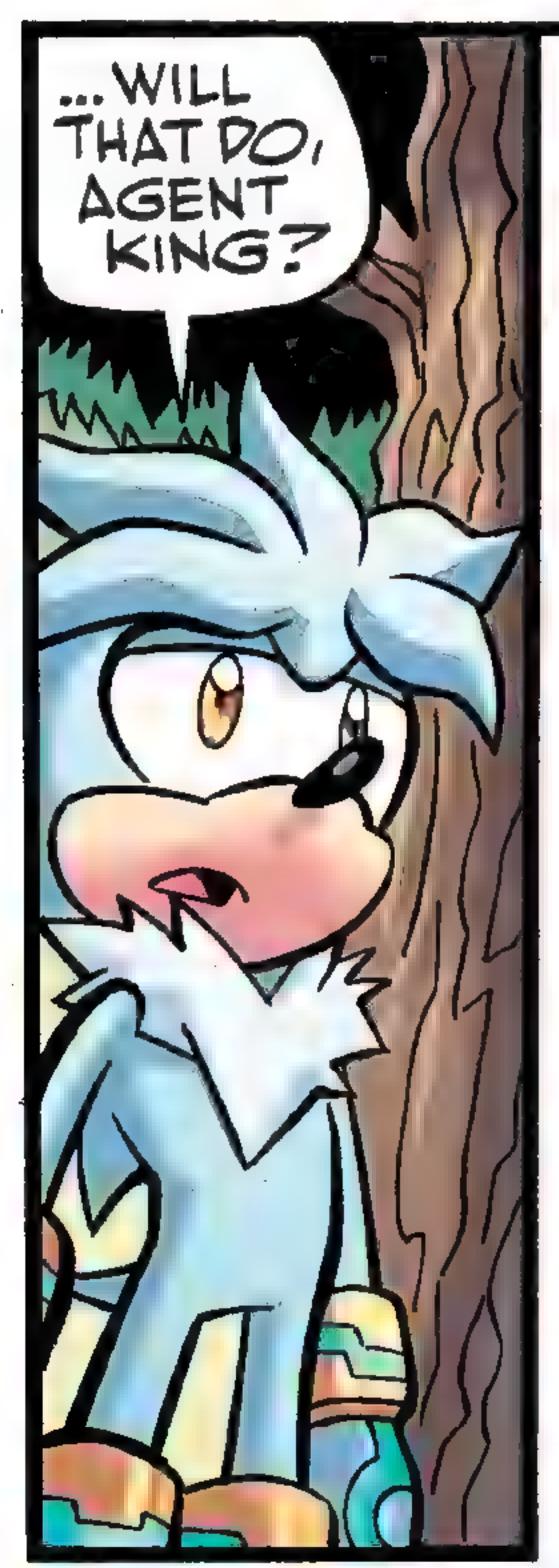


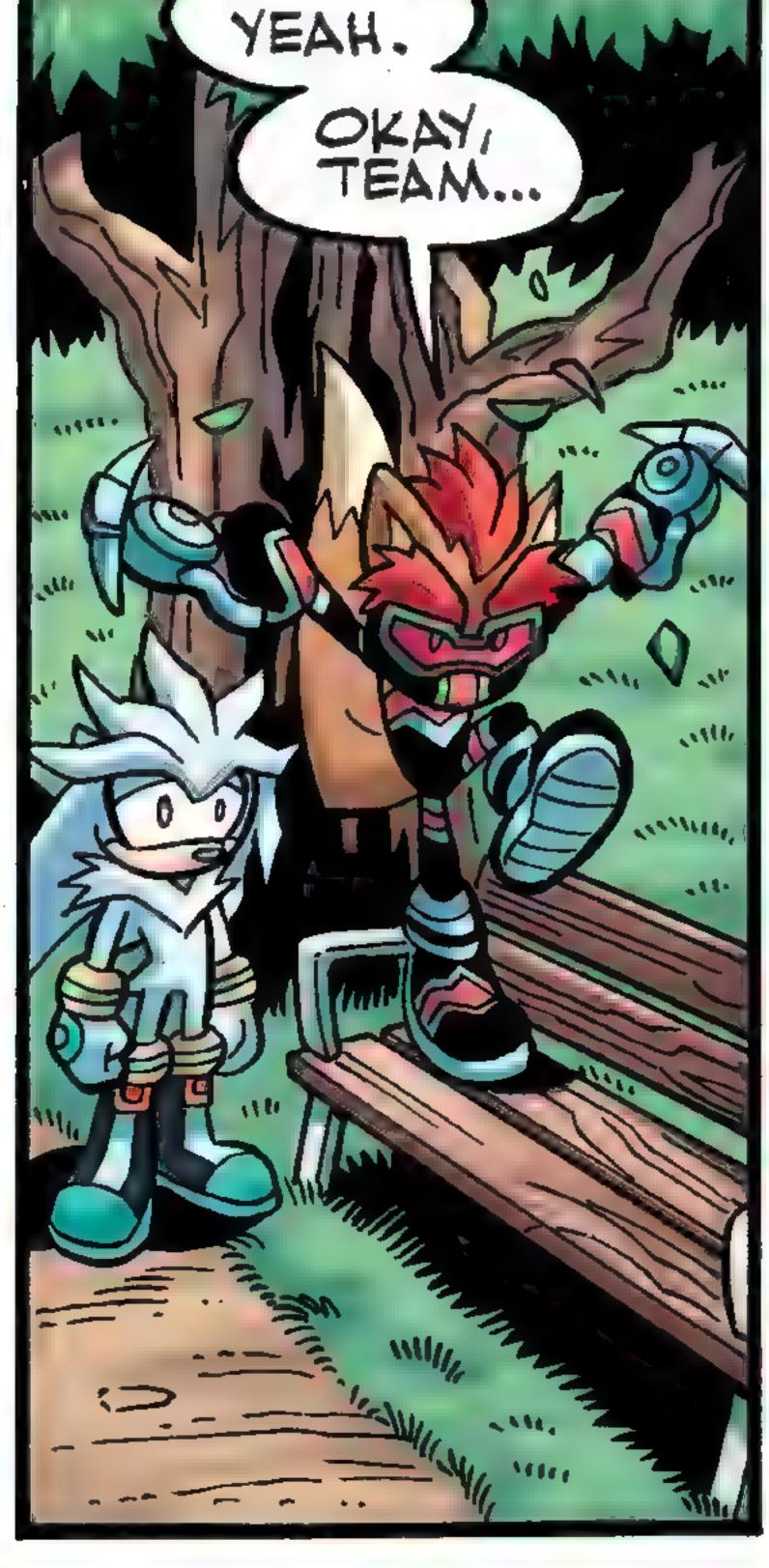


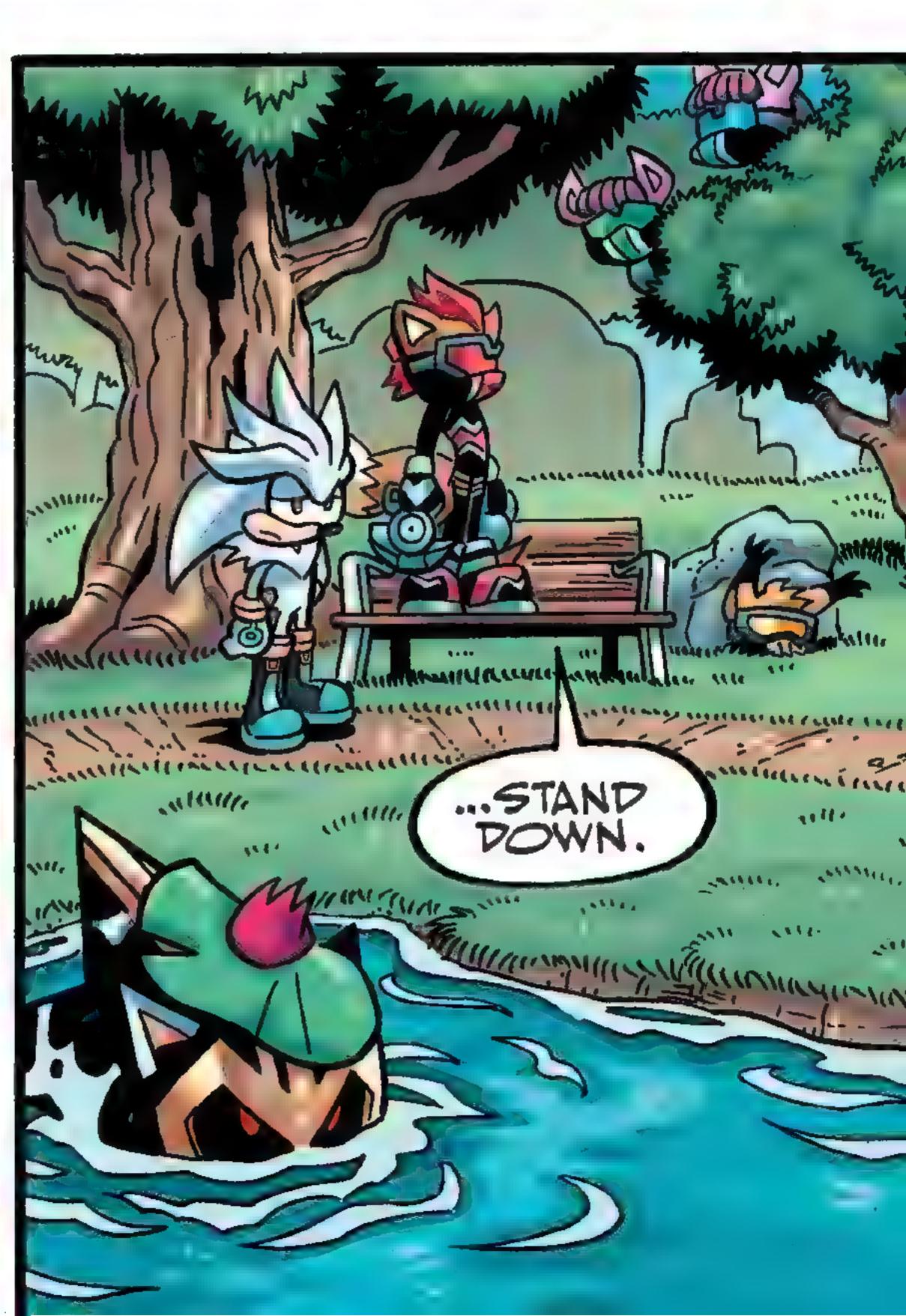


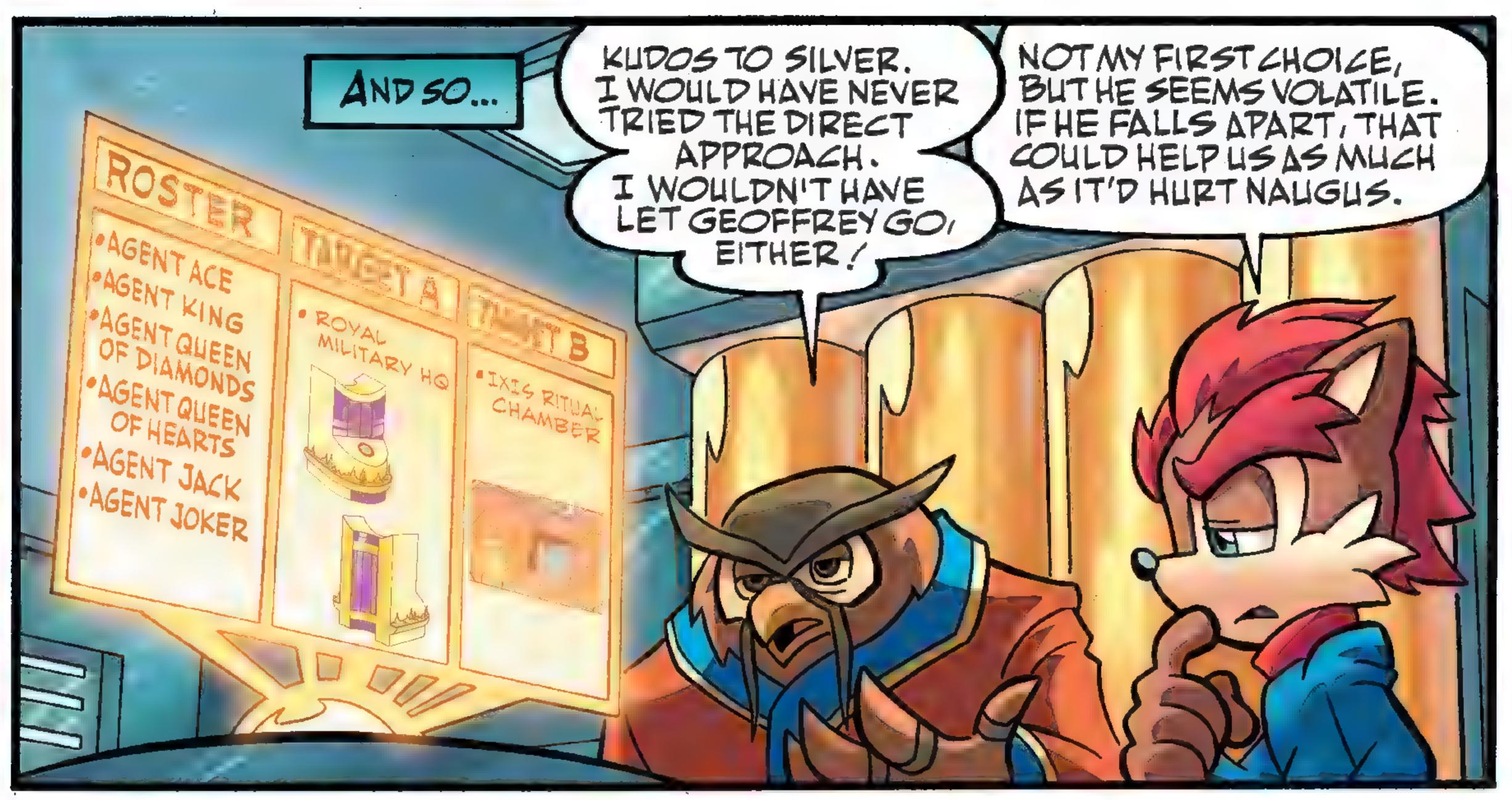
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HELP I...DON'T. SEE YOU
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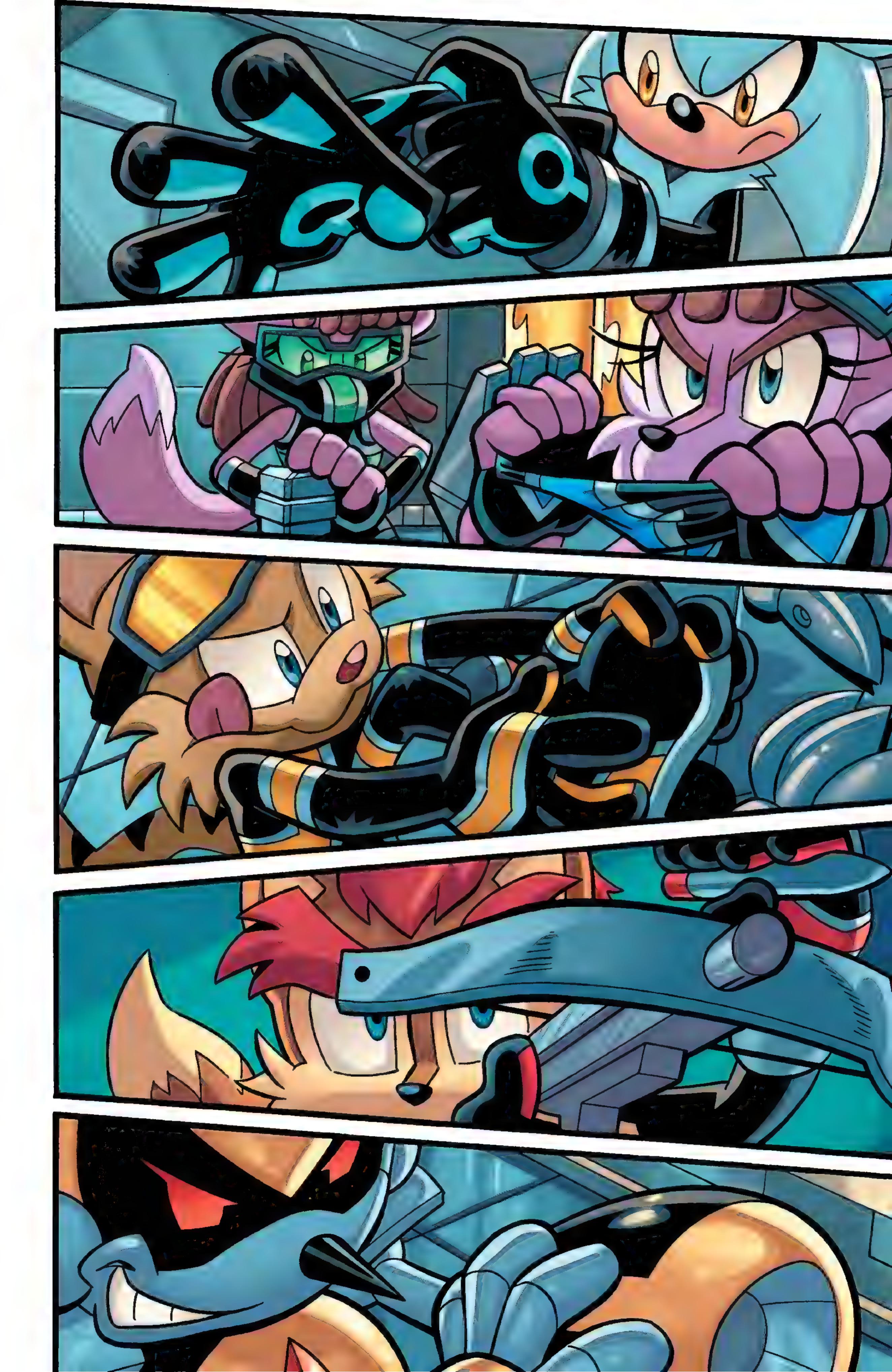














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THE SECRET FREEDOM FIGHTERS HAVE ASSEMBLED!

As our heroes prepare for their biggest battle ever, the citizens of New Mobotropolis remain completely unaware of the danger that they're all in. Of course, such is the point of the Secret Freedom Fighters - to work in the shadows and do whatever is necessary to defend the kingdom and ensure the safety of its citizens!

Get ready for a show-down brawl of EPIC proportions next issue as Ixis Naugus and Geoffrey St. John go head-to-head with the SFF! It's a battle you CAN'T miss, and it leads directly into Sonic the Hedgehog #241 which will mean big changes for the Acorn Kingdom!

cover process from SKETCH TO FINAL PENCILS
BY TRACY YARDLEY!

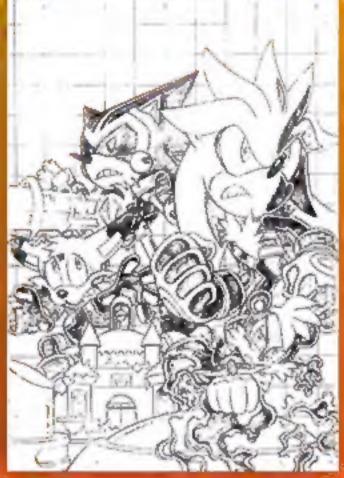
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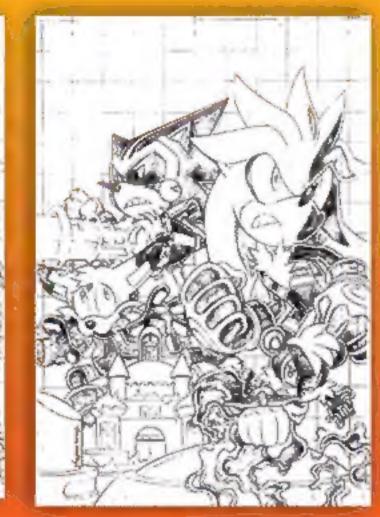
> Mega Man panel at San Diego Comic Con as well as everyone who swung by the Archie booth to say "hello!". We really blew the lid off of SDCC this year and it's all thanks to you fans!

SEE YA NEXT - Paul MONTH!







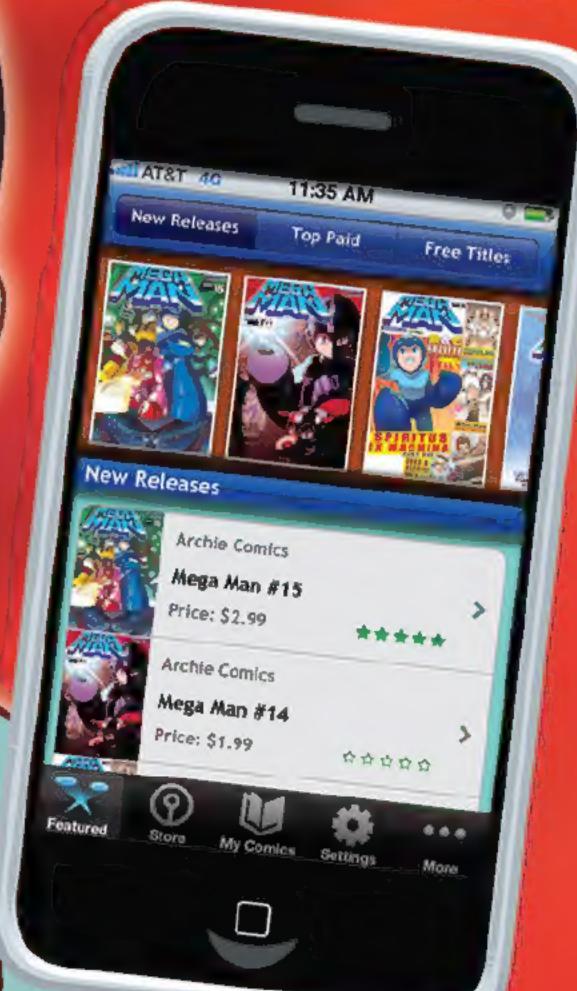




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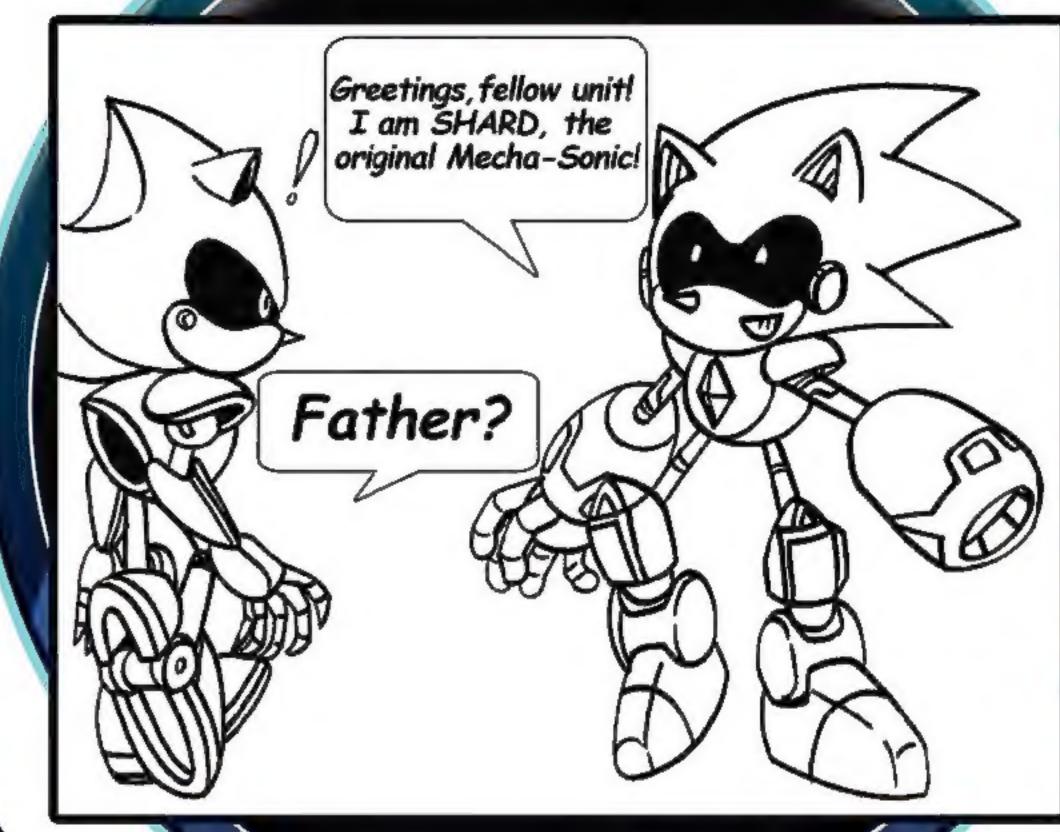
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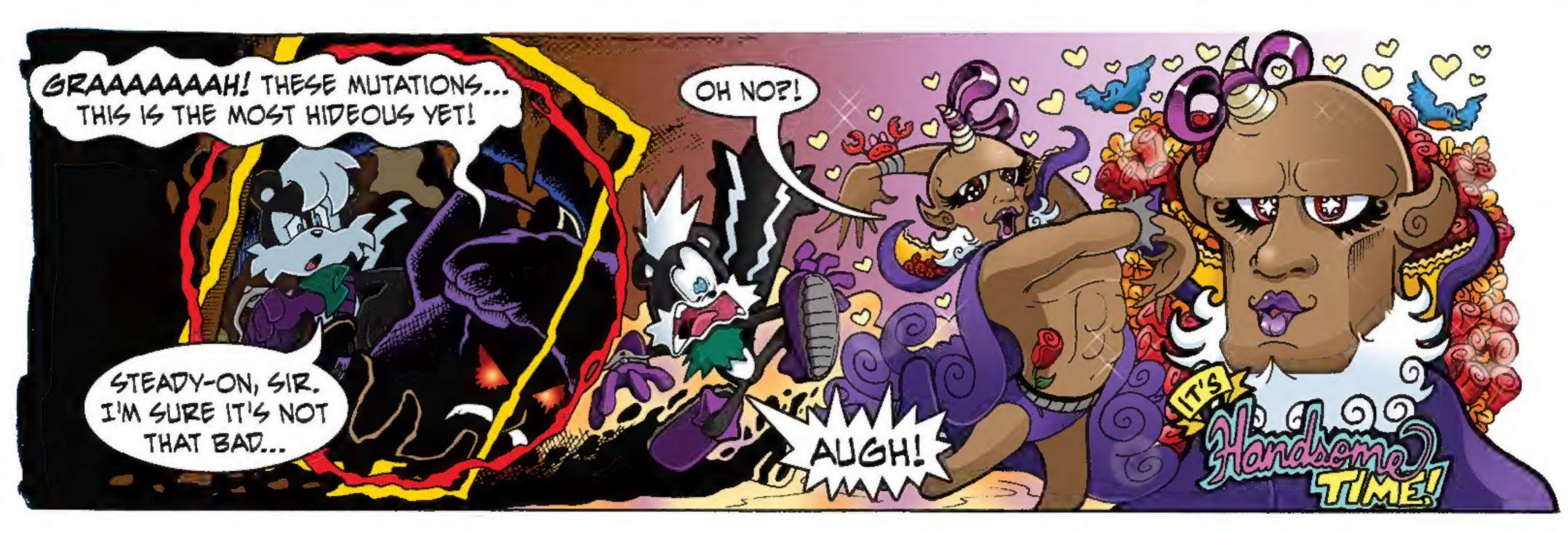
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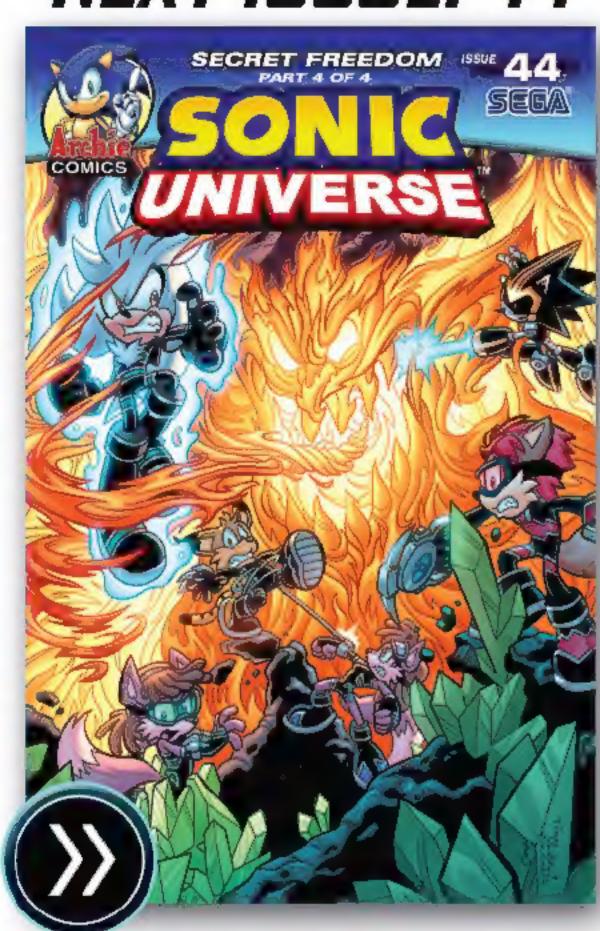
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UP AS THE SECRET FREEDOM FIGHTERS FINALLY **CONFRONT NAUGUS IN...**

SECRET FREEDOM

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TEAM FREEDOM **VS. TEAM METAL!**

NEW MOBOTROPOLIS IS UNDER **ASSAULTI WILL THE CITY** SURVIVE?I

"HERDES PART II" ON SALE THE WEEK OF 09/04/12

Dear 'My Sonic Universe,'

would like to have an interview with Silver and ask some questions...if that's okay with you guys (and Silver.)

Sure thing! Silver, take the wheel.

It's no use! Just kidding, bring it on!

1. My first question is: how did you get your psychic powers?

I don't really remember myself! I just always had them! It's a good thing too, because my adventures always seem to be so chaotic!

2. What the heck are you doing with Mogul?! In STH 56, he tried to destroy Mobius using Angel Island as a battering ram. (I'm pointing at STH 56 page 11)

Everyone makes mistakes, I know I sure do! But just like my mentor, I'm going to try to amend past mistakes for a better future!

Thanks, Silver and good luck!

Thank you, Chris!

Sonic Fan, Chris E. Pennsylvania

Thanks for writing in, Chris!

Dear 'My Sonic Universe,'

Hello! I just started to read your comics; I love them! I just want to ask, when was Silver's first appearance in the comics?

Silver first appeared back in STH 194!

I hope you make another video game story. Bye!

David V. **New Jersey**

Thanks, David! Check out our Sonic and All Stars Racing game story coming soon!

SEE Y'ALL NEXT **MONTH!**

COLLEGY THE COMPLETE DESIT OF THE NEW SAT MOSIAN FIGHTING FORCE.

















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SECRET FREEDOM pt4

IT'S YOUR SONIC UNIVERSE!

We want your input! Write & tell us what you're likin', lovin', or what's leaving you in the dust! Remember, include "My Sonic Universe" in the subject line on your letter or e-mail! It's your Sonic Universe, after all, so drop us a line!



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